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MADE GOOD HAUL.

Sch. Benj. A. Smith Seines 50,000 Pounds Pollock Off Boon Island.

Steamer Mystery is here with fresh pollock and reports that sch. Benj. A. Smith got a good haul off Boon Island Saturday, getting 50,000 pounds of pollock at one set of the seine.

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Large Lobster Receipts.

The shipment of live lobsters last week from Halifax and Yarmouth, N. S., to Boston, made a grand total of 465,000 in count. This is one of the largest consignments ever received at Boston from a provincial source.

Went to Boston.

Sch. Clara G. Silva put in here Sunday with a trip of 90,000 pounds of fresh fish and went to Boston to market.

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New Nova Scotia Fishing Vessels.

Three new fishing vessels arrived at Halifax last week of 97 to 100 tons each, owned and built at Le Have and Mahone, N. S. They are named Elsie M. Walen, Goldie Bell and Russell M. Pentz, each carry a crew of 19 men and will engage in salt bank codfishing.

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DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.

Today's Arrivals and Receipts.

Sch. Agnes, Quero Bank, 7000 lbs. halibut, 1000 lbs. flitch halibut, 1000 lbs. salt cod.

Sch. Clara G. Silva, shore, 90,000 lbs. fresh fish. (went to Boston).

Sch. Monitor, Grand Bank, 35,000 lbs. halibut, 10,000 lbs. salt cod.

Sch. Mystery, shore, 5500 lbs. pollock.

Today's Fish Market.

Bank halibut, 13 cts. per lb. for white and 11 cts. for gray. Small lots at 14 3-4 and 12 cts. per lb.

Newfoundland frozen herring, for bait, \$2 to \$3 per hundred weight.

Splitting prices, large fresh cod, \$2 per cwt.; medium do., \$1.50; haddock, \$1.00; hake, 90 cts; cusk, \$1.50; pollock, 75 cts.

Round pollock, 75 cts. per cwt.

Boston.

Sch. Robert and Arthur, 42,000 haddock, 17,000 cod, 5000 hake, 3000 cusk.

Sch. Sarah, 3000 cod.

Sch. Dixie, 9000 cod

Sch. Benj. F. Phillips, 50,000 haddock, 20,000 cod.

Steamer Spray, 30,000 haddock, 2000 cod.

Sch. Emily Sears, 10,000 cod.

Sch. Clara G. Silva, 70,000 haddock, 10,000 cod.

Sch. Susan and Mary, 25,000 haddock, 10,000 cod, 10,000 salt cod.

Sch. Fauny Belle Atwood, 50,000 haddock, 15,000 cod.

Sch. Mary E. Cooney, 10,000 haddock, 10,000 cod.

Sch. Pearl, 1200 cod.

Sch. Hattie F. Knowlton, 3500 haddock, 2000 cod.

Sch. Flavilla, 5000 haddock, 10,000 cod.

Sch. Thomas S. Gorton, 50,000 haddock, 10,000 cod, 10,000 hake.

Sch. Lillian, 15,000 haddock, 13,000 cod.

Haddock, \$2 to \$4 per cwt.; large cod, \$2.75 to \$3; market cod, \$2; cusk, \$1.50; large hake, \$3.

Fishing Fleet Movements.

Capt. Bratholomew Whalen, who has recently returned from a trip to Ireland, will now resume command of sch. Catherine and Ellen. The craft is now having a new set of rigging set up.

Capt. Brothy, who has done well in the Catherine and Ellen this winter, will now command sch. Morning Star in the shack fishery.

Schs. Mabel R. Hines and W. E. Morrissey arrived at Canso on Thursday.

Sch. J. J. Flaherty sailed from there on the same date for the Magdalenes.

Sch. Arethusa arrived at Louisburg, C. B., on Thursday and sailed the same day.

Sch. Harvard arrived at Liverpool on Friday, and cleared for the fishing grounds.

Schs. Hazel R. Hines, Orinoco and W. E. Morrissey arrived at Port Hawkesbury on Friday bound to the Magdalenes.

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Halibut Sale.

The fare of sch. Monitor sold to the New England Fish Co. at 11 cents per pound for white and 7 cents for gray.

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MONSTER SHARE.

Every Man of Crew of Sch. Sadie M. Nunan Made \$1016.

This Large Amount Was All Made in Six Months.

Sch. Sadie M. Nunan, Capt. Frank Nunan, of Cape Porpoise, Me., has made a remarkable record the past winter and her crew claim that she is the high line of the market fleet. The vessel started in operations on September 14, 1907, and landed her first trip on September 23. From that date until April 28, she kept going every minute with high markets and good trips, and up to the latter date, her crew of 16 men had each shared \$1016.

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Anxious To Save the Shad Fishery.

The rapid decline of the shad fishery in the waters of the Atlantic coast has brought the supply of the fish to such a small amount that those interested in general fishery matters have called the subject to the attention of legislators for action to stay the loss and measures to propagate the fish in the waters of Maine.

United States Senator Frye has taken the first step in the matter, in the introduction of a bill calling for the appropriation of \$15,000 "for the establishment of a shad hatchery in the state of Maine." The bill has passed the senate and is now before the house.

It is expected that the new hatchery will be located near Gardiner, on the Kennebec river.

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Another Small Mackerel Fare.

Sch. Clintonia shipped 10 barrels of fresh mackerel from Delaware breakwater this forenoon. This is the third trip Capt. Ralph Webber has landed this season.

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Today's Arrivals and Receipts.

Sch. Clara G. Silva, via Boston, 60,000 lbs. fresh fish.

Sch. Thomas S. Gorton, via Boston, 35,000 lbs. fresh fish.

Sch. Susan and Mary, via Boston, 9000 lbs. salt cod, 11,000 lbs. fresh fish.

Sch. Alliance, shore, 1500 lbs. pollock.

Str. Water Witch, shore, 4000 lbs. pollock.

Str. Bessie A., shore, 1000 lbs. pollock.

Today's Fish Market.

Newfoundland frozen herring, for bait, \$2 to \$3 per hundred weight.

Splitting prices, large fresh cod, \$2 per cwt.; medium do., \$1.50; haddock, \$1.00; hake, 90 cts; cusk, \$1.50; pollock, 75 cts.

Round pollock, 75 cts. per cwt.

Bank halibut 11 cts. per lb. for white and 9 cts. per lb. for gray.

Boston.

Sch. Mary B. Greer, 8000 haddock, 5000 cod.

Sch. Genesta, 5000 haddock, 1000 cod, 1000 hake.

Sch. Nokomis, 2000 cod.

Sch. Lewie Warren, 3000 cod.

Sch. Laura Enos, 5000 cod.

Sch. Olivia Sears, 6000 cod.

Sch. Thomas J. Carroll, 8000 cod.

Sch. Georgianna, 25,000 haddock, 5000 cod, 8000 hake, 8000 cusk.

Sch. Albert Gager, 10,000 cod.

Sch. Alice M. Guthrie, 2000 cod, 50,000 hake, 20,000 cusk.

Sch. Mary A. Whalen, 40,000 haddock, 10,000 cod, 5000 hake, 5000 cusk.

Sch. Hortense, 3000 haddock, 3000 cod, 2500 hake.

Sch. Morning Star, 3000 cod.

Sch. Betsy Ross, 2000 cod.

Sch. Magnolia, 2500 cod.

Sch. Sylvester, 4000 cod.

Sch. Vesta, 5000 cod.

Haddock, \$2 per cwt.; large cod, \$2.50 to \$3; market cod, \$2 to \$2.50; hake, \$1 to \$3; cusk, \$2.

May 6

Good Stock.

Sch. Monitor, Capt. John McKay, stocked \$3328 as the result of her recent 27 days trip, the crew sharing \$78.54.

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SEINERS MADE BIG CATCHES.

Fifteen Sail at Fulton Market This Morning.

MORE REPORTED ON THE WAY.

Sch. Ingomar Is Reported with Monster Fare of 35,000.



The best mackerel news of the season came this morning when dispatches from Fulton Market told of the arrival of three seine there, each with fine fares. The dispatches also said "more coming," so as the three crafts in are all gasoliners, some sailing crafts are expected to chafe the pier before sun down.

Sch. Elizabeth Silsbee, Capt. John McKinnon, reached Fulton dock about 6 o'clock last evening with a splendid fare, 20,000 fresh medium mackerel, with some few large ones mixed in. This is the second trip for the Silsbee and as she stocked \$2700 on the first one, this fare will bring her up over close up around the \$5500 mark or better.

Late last night sch. Saladin, Capt. Benjamin A. Spurling, arrived, also with 20,000 fresh medium mackerel.

Early this morning sch. Monarch, Capt. John F. Vautier, came in with 10,000 fresh medium mackerel. This is Capt. Vautier's third trip this season, thus far and will make his stock look up well.

Fresh mackerel sold at Fulton market this morning at 30 cents each for large and 18 cents each for mediums.

A despatch to the Times says that sch. Ingomar and others are expected during the day.

Capt. Spurling of sch. Saladin reported getting his haul Monday noon, during a rain storm, 70 miles from Barnegat, down in the vicinity of Winter Quarter lightship, in 30 fathoms of water. He says he saw quite a lot of schools, indicating that there was some body to the fish and thought the prospect looked fairly good.

Capt. McKinnon of sch. Elizabeth Silsbee was five miles to the southward of the Saladin, in 35 fathoms of water. He did not see many schools where he was and was inclined to take a poor view of the situation.

Sch. Monarch took her fish in the vicinity of schs. Elizabeth Silsbee and Saladin and there was quite a fleet there, some of whom made hauls, how much and who they were the skippers of the gasoliners did not stop to see as they drove for market with their own catches.

A later dispatch to the Times says that sch. Saladin counted out 15,705 mackerel, sch. Monarch 11,085 mediums and 47 large and sch. Elizabeth Silsbee 12,000. The fish were taken in latitude 38.06 north, in 35 fathoms of water. Some schools were seen and there were 28 sail about five miles to the southward. It is thought that many took fish as at 9.45 o'clock this morning several seiners were reported off the Highlands of Navesink, bound to market, sch. A. M. Nicholson, Capt. Solomon Jacobs, being one of them.

At 10.30 o'clock this forenoon, nine seiners with fares of fresh mackerel, passed in by Sandy Hook, bound to Fulton Market.

The following seiners reached Fulton Market, New York, just before noon today:

Sch. Ingomar, Capt. Wallace Parsons, 35,000 fresh mackerel.

Sch. Norma, Capt. Benj. McGray, 12,000 fresh mackerel.

Sch. Tartar, Capt. Thomas Somers, 12,000 fresh mackerel.

Sch. Clintonia, Capt. Ralph Webber, 10,000 fresh mackerel.

Sch. A. M. Nicholson, Capt. Solomon Jacobs, 20,000, fresh mackerel.

Another despatch to the Times just before noon states that schs. Theodore Roosevelt, Pinta, Slade Gorton, Arabia and Diana have also just arrived there with fine fares.

It bids fair to be a great big mackerel day and still they say there are more to come.

May 6

Halibut Sale

The fare of sch. Massachusetts sold to the New England Fish Co. at 11 cents per pound for white and 9 cents for gray.

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WHISTLING BUOY ADRIFT.**American Bankers at Canso Report No Large Catches.**

Capt. Ormsby Seeley, of sch. Bohemia of this port, arrived at Canso, N. S., Sunday and reports sighting a whistling buoy adrift south southeast from Canso twenty-nine miles. A large number of vessels have arrived at Canso from the Banks during the week and all report very rough weather. No large catches are reported.

May 6.

DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.**Today's Arrivals and Receipts.**

Sch. Massachusetts, St. Peters bank, 17,000 lbs. halibut, 1000 lbs. flitched halibut, 8000 lbs. salt cod.

Sch. Georgiana, via Boston, 35,000 lbs. pollock.

Sch. Little Fannie, shore, 25,000 lbs. pollock.

Steamer Pet, shore, 2000 lbs. pollock.

Steamer Herbert and Emma, shore, 3000 lbs. pollock.

Steamer Lydia F., shore, 2000 lbs. fresh fish.

Steamer Mystery, shore.

Today's Fish Market.

Newfoundland frozen herring, for bait, \$2 to \$3 per hundred weight.

Splitting prices, large fresh cod, \$2 per cwt.; medium do., \$1.50; haddock, \$1.00; hake, 90 cts; cusk, \$1.50; pollock, 75 cts.

Round pollock, 75 cts. per cwt.

Bank halibut 11 cts. per lb. for white and 9 cts. per lb. for gray.

Boston.

Sch. Eva L. Spurling, 25,000 cod.

Sch. Flavilla, 3000 haddock, 1000 cod, 2000 hake.

Sch. M. Madellene, 9000 cod.

Sch. Marion, 7000 cod.

Sch. Klondike, 2300 haddock, 400 cod.

Sch. Ida S. Brooks, 8000 haddock, 2000 cod, 5000 hake.

Sch. Teresa and Alice, 3000 haddock, 4000 cod, 6000 hake.

Sch. Mettacommet, 8000 haddock, 2000 cod.

Sch. Lillian, 3700 cod.

Sch. Seaconnet, 3000 haddock, 2500 cod, 1000 hake.

Sch. Sylvia M. Nunan, 10,000 haddock, 5000 cod, 1000 hake.

Sch. Ida M. Silva, 8000 haddock, 5000 cod.

Sch. Nettie, 1300 haddock, 800 cod.

Sch. Ignatius Enos, 7000 cod.

Haddock, \$4.50 to \$5 per cwt.; large cod, \$3; market cod, \$2.50; hake, \$1 to \$3.

May 7.

HAD GOOD FARES.**Late Mackerel Arrivals Had Taken Good Schools.****Thomas Woodward & Sons Bought First Salt Mackerel.**

A special to the Times this afternoon from Futon Market gives the following fares for the se'nrs reported in our first edition as arriving about noon time:

Sch. Diana, Capt. James McLean, 7000 fresh medium mackerel.

Sch. Arabia, Capt. Gourley Anderson, 10,000 fresh medium mackerel.

Sch. Pinta, Capt. Douglass McLean, 15,000 fresh medium mackerel.

Sch. Theodore Roosevelt, Capt. John O'Brien, 21,000 fresh medium mackerel.

Sch. Slade Gorton Capt. George Heckman, 7500 fresh medium mackerel.

A special to the Times from New York says that Thos. Woodward & Son bought the first arrival of salt mackerel. The fish were brought in by schs. Ingomar and Pinta. Price not stated.

May 7.

Fishing Fleet Movements.

Schs. Bohemia and Blanche sailed from Canso on Monday for the Magdalenes in search of bait.

On Sunday last, 25 fishing vessels were at Port Mulgrave, bound to Magdalenes for bait.

Capt. Michael Powers has recovered from his recent illness and will now resume command of sch. Benjamin F. Phillips of Boston.

Sch. Maud S. has fitted at Boston, and sailed yesterday.

May 7.

PRICE HELD UP FINELY.**Seiners Got 18 Cts. for Their Medium Fish Yesterday.****THREE SMALL TRIPS IN TODAY.****Easterly Storm Raging from Cape Henry to New York Today.**

Three seiners were at Fulton Market this morning with fares of fresh mackerel, as follows:

Sch. Colonial, Capt. Augustus Firth, 5000 mediums.

Sch. Arthur Binney, Capt. Rufus McKay, 4000 mediums.

Sch. Alert, Capt. Almon D. Malloch, 3500 mediums.

In spite of the very large receipts of fresh mackerel at Fulton Market yesterday, it is pleasing to note that the price did not fall off any, for medium fish sold all day at 18 cents each, and the fares this morning brought the same figure.

A special to the Times this forenoon, from its correspondent, says: "Sold for 18 cents yesterday and won't be any change today. Bad easterly storm here and south of New York. No more vessels reported coming."

The arrivals yesterday and today aggregate 208,000 mackerel in count. Allowing for possible overhauling, bursted fish and commissions, this means about \$29,000 in good clear money for the owners, skippers and crews, which is certainly a most gratifying day's work. That the price should hold up so well with the large receipts speaks well for the Fulton market dealers and their evident intention to do as well as possible by the fleet.

May 7.

Fishing Facts and Fancies.

The fisheries of the Bay of Fundy yield over three millions of dollars annually, being one-seventh of the entire product of Canada. Employment is given to about five thousand men.

The Canso, N. S., fishermen are much interested in a new motor dory, which is just about to be launched. It is 25 feet long, 2 1-2 feet deep, 7 feet beam, and is equipped with a 5 1-2 horse-power gasoline motor. It will cost about \$500, and will drift for mackerel with 35 or 40 nets.

The first shipment of Kennebec river shad reached Boston yesterday. There were 27 barrels in the lot. A few butter fish have been taken at Provincetown.

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Squid and Herring at Provincetown.

Squid and herring are coming in surprisingly large quantities from Provincetown, where the traps are found well filled at each hauling. Both have become so plentiful in the market that they are now being brought for shipment to the large Italian colonies in New York and vicinity and more western places.

May 7.

Saw Salt Bankers.

Capt. John J. Carroll of sch. Massachusetts reports seeing several of the salt bank fleet at Rose Blanche, N. F., recently. They had made no big catches and were greatly bothered by the ice on the Newfoundland coast.

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Halibut Sale.

The fare of sch. Pargon sold to the American Halibut Co. at 10 cents per pound for white and 7 cents for gray.

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DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.**Today's Arrivals and Receipts.**

Sch. Benjamin A. Smith, shore, 35,000 lbs. pollock.

Sch. Paragon, St. Peters Bank, 25,000 lbs. halibut, 5000 lbs. flitched halibut.

Sch. Jubilee, Rips, 12,000 lbs. salt cod.

Sch. Volant, Rips 40,000 lbs. salt cod.

Today's Fish Market.

Round pollock, 75 cts. per cwt.; gutted 80 cents.

Bank halibut 10 cts. per lb. for white and 7 cts. per lb. for gray.

Salt bank cod, large \$3.75, mediums, \$3.

Salt Rips, cod, large, \$4, mediums, \$3; snapper \$2.

Salt Georges cod, large \$4.25, mediums, \$3.25.

Salt pollock, \$1.50; salt haddock, \$1.50.

Splitting prices for fresh fish, Western cod, large, \$2; mediums, \$1.50; Cape North cod, large, \$1.87 1-2; medium, \$1.37 1-2; Peak cod large, \$1.75; medium, \$1.37 1-2; cusk, \$1.60; haddock, \$1.00; hake, 80 cts.; pollock, 75 to 80 cts.

Boston.

Sch. Rose Cabral, 10,000 haddock, 10,000 cod, 4000 hake.

Sch. George H. Lube, 2000 haddock, 18,000 cod.

Sch. Emily Cooney, 7500 haddock, 3000 cod, 5000 hake.

Sch. Mary Edith, 5000 cod, 20,000 hake, 10,000 cusk.

Sch. Emilia Enos, 10,000 haddock, 12,000 cod.

Sch. Philip P. Manta, 8000 haddock, 6000 cod.

Sch. Flora S. Nickerson, 30,000 haddock, 20,000 cod.

Sch. Mary C. Santos, 14,000 haddock, 6000 cod.

Sch. Annie Perry, 7000 haddock, 15,000 cod, 17,000 hake.

Sch. Louisa R. Sylva, 16,000 haddock, 11,000 cod.

Sch. Jessie Costa, 15,000 haddock, 14,000 cod.

Sch. Edith Silveira, 6000 haddock, 7000 cod, 3000 hake.

Sch. Maud F. Silva, 8000 haddock, 2000 cod.

Sch. Harvester, 10,000 haddock, 10,000 cod.

Sch. Pontiac, 8000 haddock, 2000 cod.

Sch. Nettie Franklin, 10,000 haddock, 20,000 cod.

Sch. Joseph H. Cromwell, 12,000 cod.

Sch. George E. Lane, Jr., 16,000 cod.

Sch. Flora J. Sears, 10,000 haddock, 5000 cod.

Sch. Mary E. Sennett, 700 haddock, 400 cod, 4000 hake, 2500 cusk.

Sch. Maxwell, 5000 cod.

Sch. Minnie, 1000 haddock, 1000 cod.

Sch. Mary J. Ward, 1500 haddock, 1500 cod.

Sch. Rattler, 800 cod.

Sch. Annie and Jennie, 1800 haddock, 12,000 cod.

Sch. Winnifred, 25,000 haddock, 10,000 cod, 12,000 cusk.

Sch. Appomattox, 10,000 cod.

Sch. Wodan, 2500 cod.

Sch. Aspinet, 2500 haddock, 13,000 cod, 8000 hake, 8000 cusk.

Haddock, \$2.50 to \$4 per cwt.; large cod, \$2 to \$2.60; market cod, \$1.50 to \$1.60; hake, 50 cts. to \$2.50; cusk, \$1.50 to \$2.

May 8.

BAITED AT MAGDALENES.**Sch. Fannie A. Smith and Crew Heard from Recently.****Has Been Considerable Anxiety for Her Safety.**

Sch. Fannie A. Smith, Capt. Joseph V. Bonia, of this port, now on a fresh halibut trip, baited with fresh herring at the Magdalene Islands last Friday. Word to this effect has been received in this city.

This will dispel all anxiety for the safety of the crew and vessel which have been heard for some little time.

The craft has been on a long trip, sailing from here January 30. Since then she has been heard from several times the last being five weeks ago, when she was supposed to have taken a small refitting. Since that time nothing has been learned of her whereabouts, and this gave rise for anxiety for her safety. The fact that she baited at the Magdalenes last week allays all these fears and shows that captain, vessel and crew are all right.